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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: FUTATSUYA, Hiroki, et al.

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METHOD AND EQUIPMENT FOR SIMULATION

<u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2007 for two months, from March 10, 2008 to May 10, 2008.

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